



Installing MacBook Core Duo RAM

Tools used in this guide

- [Coin](#)
- [Phillips #00 Screwdriver](#)

Parts relevant to this guide

- [PC2-5300 1 GB RAM Chip](#)
- [PC2-5300 512 MB RAM Chip](#)



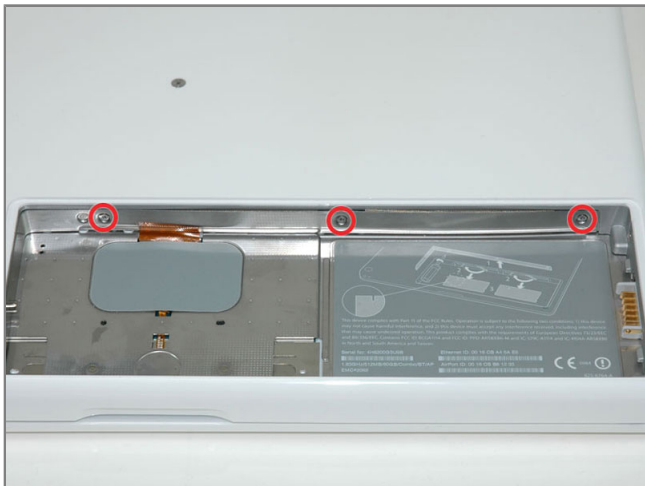
Step 1 - Battery

- Use a coin to rotate the battery-locking screw 90 degrees clockwise.



Step 2

- Lift the battery out of the computer.



Step 3 - Memory Cover

- Remove the three evenly-spaced Phillips screws from along the rear wall of the battery compartment.
- The screws are captive to the metal memory cover.



Step 4

- Lift up on L-shaped memory cover, slide it to the right, and lift it out of the computer.



Step 5 - RAM

- Pull back on the metal lever and slide the RAM chip out from its compartment.
- Unlike the iBook line, the MacBook has two RAM slots, which allows for up to 2 GBs of memory.

